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Cheviots and Storm Serges.

## Opening of the New Spring Dress Goods

Flake a  
Selection **49<sup>c</sup>**  
for . . . Yd.

These goods hardly need comment. Once you have made  
their acquaintance no other styles in your estimation will be  
worth considering.  
It will also prove of great advantage to you to remember  
that we are undisputed headquarters for all Dress Goods.

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7th.

## Don't Do It!

If you want one of these Sideboard  
bargains—don't put it off until you  
"come downtown" tomorrow. Come  
TODAY! They are too good to  
last many hours. Here's the offer:

Solid Oak Sideboards—heavy  
tops—beautifully carved and mitred  
—the equal of any offered for  
\$25—only a few of them  
left—while they last.

**\$20**  
AND ON CREDIT!

You can pay the bill as you please  
—weekly or monthly—no notes or  
interest. Fe quick! Carcets  
made, laid and lined free—no charge  
for waste in matching figures.

**GROGAN'S**  
MAMMOTH CREDIT HOUSE.  
817-819-821-823 7th St.  
Between H and L.

WINDOW SHADINGS, in all new colors  
—with patent rollers—work like a charm.  
**EISENMANN'S**, 194-195 Penn Ave.

## Free for Three Days!

Handsomely Gift Picture Frame  
Choice of Two Styles, Oval or  
Square.

With each purchase  
of \$1.00 worth of Coffee, 75c worth of our  
famous Tea, Baking  
Powder or Extracts.

Fancy Elgin  
Creamery **23<sup>c</sup>**  
Butter

The Great  
Atlantic and Pacific  
Tea Co.,  
AT  
Main Store, E. Cor. 7th and  
S. E. St. N. E. 2104 M St. N. W.,  
and at Center Market.

**UPRIGHT PIANO, \$190.**  
ON EASY PAYMENTS.  
Only slightly used. One of the makes  
everyone knows for its excellence.  
Watch our daily announcements.  
Lots of ships in all kinds of Musical  
Instruments.  
**E. F. Droop & Sons,**  
225 PENNA. AVE.  
"Steinway" and Other Leading Pianos.

## A BRILLIANT SUCCESS

Magnificent Reception Given by  
the German Ambassador.

Valentine Supper and Dance Given  
by Miss Bates—Hop at Fort Myer  
—Streeter-LaGorce Wedding.

The German ambassador, M. von  
Holtz, gave a large reception last  
night to the Vice President and Mrs.  
Hobart, to the members of the Cabinet  
and their wives, to the diplomatic  
corps, and incidentally to about 600  
unofficial guests.

The embassy was ablaze with lights,  
and the German colors were carried  
out in masses of red and white azaleas,  
which, with palm foliage, formed the  
decorations of the ballroom, where the  
reception was held.

The portraits of the German Emperor  
and Empress, set in a magnificent  
Florentine frame, were garlanded with  
Southern smilax, and the orchestra was  
waived from view by palms.

Baroness Von Hengelshofer, wife of  
the Austro-Hungarian minister, assisted  
the bachelor ambassador, and his  
official household in receiving, there  
being no ladies of the German legation  
at present in the city, as Mrs. Von  
Reichenau is still in Europe, and the  
Countess Juchten is absent in California.

A collation was served at a great table,  
which was elaborately decorated with  
ferns and smilax, and azaleas in red  
and white.

The heads of the diplomatic corps,  
with the attaches of the various embassies  
and legations, a large representation  
from the Cabinet circles, the Supreme  
court, and Congressional bodies, and  
almost everyone of prominence in  
Washington's social world attended  
the reception.

It was one of the most brilliant  
events in the social history of diplomatic  
functions, and though M. von  
Holtz has been the favored host of the  
season and has achieved the reputation  
of being one of the most courtly and  
social representatives that Germany  
has ever sent to the capital of America,  
it was a matter of general comment  
that the ambassador has never shown  
such fascinating advantage as last  
night when, as the host of the embassy,  
he so graciously returned the hospitality  
that has been lavished upon him since  
his advent to these shores.

Quite the daintiest and most unique  
tribute paid to the good old patron  
saint of romance was the Valentine  
supper and dance given last night by  
Miss Bates, the pretty young daughter  
of Col. Bates, military attaché of the  
United States embassy at London.

As the guests arrived they placed the  
Valentine verses each had brought in  
a cupid's postoffice, where they were  
labeled with genuine Valentine stamps  
and pigeon holed in boxes, to be called  
for later in the evening, and taken  
away by those to whom they were addressed.

Red and white hearts were the suggestive  
emblems that hung from the  
walls, studied the Ward, who  
formed the floral decorations of the  
supper room. The guests gathered  
around the flower-decked table were:  
The Misses Adams, Misses Ward,  
Miss Hopkins, the Misses Clagett, Miss  
Ashton, Miss Poor, Miss Rogers, Miss  
Barber, the Misses Whitney, of New  
Hampshire; Misses Adams, Misses  
Wallach, Miss Barney, Miss McMillan,  
Wilkins, Baron Hermann, Mr. Marrow,  
Mr. McKenney, Mr. Lindsey, Mr. Eastman,  
Mr. Gallovey, Mr. Elkins, Mr. Westcott,  
Lieut. Holmes, Mr. Crayford, Mr. Gibbons,  
Capt. Moss, Mr. Stober, Mr. McPherson, and Mr.  
Steyer.

A number of young people arrived  
after the supper hour, and the evening  
was finished with a dance.

Prof. and Mrs. Newcomb gave a very  
delightful "tin wedding tea" yesterday  
afternoon in compliment to their  
daughter Mrs. McGee and her husband,  
Prof. McGee, to celebrate the tenth  
anniversary of their marriage.

Mrs. Newcomb, wearing her wedding gown  
of rich white satin trimmed with lace,  
stood by the drawing room door to welcome  
the large number of guests who  
entered. Beside her, looking very sweet  
and girlish in an Empire gown of  
rose pink satin with flowing sleeves,  
stood Mrs. McGee, the bride of the  
evening. The receiving party being Miss Galloway  
and Miss Patterson, of Pennsylvania,  
who is Mrs. Newcomb's guest.  
The guests were seated at a long  
table, and Mrs. McGee presided over the tea table,  
which was prettily decorated with red and pink  
carnations, and Miss Powell held the  
punch bowl. Prof. and Mrs. McGee  
were the recipients of a large number of beautiful  
souvenirs of their anniversary, together  
with many floral tributes in  
honor of the day.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs.  
Frank Stockton, who came from New  
Jersey especially to be present;  
Mrs. Cushing, and a large  
number of prominent scientists, as well  
as a large contingent from the fashionable  
world.

Col. and Mrs. A. T. Britton entertained  
at dinner last night. The guests  
were Senator and Mrs. Warren, Rev.  
Dr. and Mrs. Tiedelitz, Mrs. Ward,  
S. H. Kaufmann, Col. and Mrs. Fleming,  
and Mr. and Mrs. Hibbs.

Mrs. Charles F. Joy, of the Arlington,  
will not receive today.

Mrs. Handy, wife of Representative  
Handy, of Delaware; Mrs. Oney, wife of  
Representative Oney, of Virginia,  
and Mrs. Slayden, wife of Representative  
Slayden, of Texas, will receive tomorrow  
afternoon from 3 to 5 at No. 1506  
K street.

The officers of Fort Myer entertained  
300 of their dancing friends at a hop at  
the fort last yesterday afternoon from  
7 to 9 o'clock.

The day was an ideal one for the occasion,  
and as a number of the guests  
went by the cars, the long, steep stairs  
this side of the bridge, the walk over  
it and the ride through the bare woods  
of Arlington saved the day, and was  
of picnic days and made a pleasant  
prelude to the dance.

Commander and Mrs. Dickens entertained  
at a Valentine dinner last night.  
The guests were Major and Mrs.  
Heistand, Lieut. Commander and Mrs.  
McCommon, Miss Donovan, Lieut. Paxton,  
U. S. A., and Lieut. Culver, U. S. N.

Mrs. Besie Stuart will give a collation  
on Thursday evening next.

Mrs. Brackett and her friends, Mrs.  
and Miss Hubbell, will be at home this  
afternoon, from 3 to 6, for the last  
time until after Easter.

The Vice President and Mrs. Hobart  
will entertain at a dinner tonight.

Mrs. William Darling Brace will give  
a tea this afternoon to meet Mrs. Van  
Hoesen.

Mrs. Willard D. Vandiver, of Missouri,  
received yesterday afternoon at No. 109  
First street northeast. She was  
assisted by Mrs. Champ Clark, of  
Missouri; Miss Graves, of Alabama;

Miss Vance, of Virginia, and Mrs. Dixon,  
donor.

Miss Susan Quay will give a luncheon  
today to meet her guests, Miss  
Ward, of East Orange, N. J., and Miss  
Woodworth, of Ohio.

Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Richard Towson  
and Miss Campbell will be at home today.

Mrs. David H. Miller, wife of Representative  
Miller, of Nebraska, who has been prevented  
by illness from receiving her guests, will be at home today,  
at No. 1206 Roanoke street.

Mrs. P. M. Rixey and Mrs. English  
will be at home today at 909 Sixteenth  
street.

Mrs. James H. Davidson, wife of Representative  
Davidson, of Wisconsin, will receive today at 1429 Fifteenth  
street.

Mrs. T. G. Alvord will receive this  
afternoon for the last time this season.

Mrs. Mann, wife of Representative  
James R. Mann, will receive today at 1823  
H street, northwest.

The engagement has been announced  
of Miss Florence Crandell, of Detroit, to  
Lieut. F. E. Lacey, Jr., Eleventh United  
States Infantry.

The Vice-President and Mrs. Hobart  
were the guests of honor last night at  
a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Boardman.

Mrs. McKnight Moses entertained at  
a Valentine at home yesterday afternoon.

The bride, gowned daintily in white  
satin, over which fell the misty fold of a  
tulle veil, was attended by her  
brother, Mr. John L. La Gorce.

Mrs. D. S. Evans, 1025 Vermont  
avenue, will be at home this afternoon,  
but not on Tuesday of next week.

The Woman's National Press Association  
will hold a reception on Saturday  
evening at the Strathmore Arms in  
honor of the visiting delegates of the  
W. N. P. R.

Miss Marguerite Antoinette La Gorce,  
the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth La  
Gorce, and Mr. Stevens Dana Streeter  
were married last evening at St. Patrick's  
church, in the presence of a  
number of friends, Rev. Dr. Stafford  
officiating, assisted by Rev. Fathers  
Gloyd and McGee.

The bride, gowned daintily in white  
satin, over which fell the misty fold of a  
tulle veil, was attended by her  
brother, Mr. John L. La Gorce. They  
were preceded up the aisle by the  
ushers, Mr. R. J. Long, Mr. W. L. Stolz,  
and the Messrs. Burg. Following them  
walked the bridesmaids, Miss  
Katie Anderson and Miss Eva  
Korff, each wearing a dainty combination  
of white, organdie and satin,  
carrying a bouquet of golden  
gate roses, "one of which  
with a white ribbon was worn by  
the hair. The maid of honor, Miss  
Trimble, attended the bride, wearing a  
pale yellow organdie and sash ribbon  
of yellow by those to whom they were  
addressed.

The groom and his best man, Mr.  
Larcom, joined the bride in the  
sanctuary and the ceremony was solemnized  
at the altar. The church  
was crowded, and the altar steps  
were filled with guests. The  
marriage was followed by a  
reception at Friends, and at its close  
Mr. and Mrs. Streeter went at once to  
their new home, No. 1212 W street.

Mrs. Tanner, of New Hampshire  
avenue, entertained at a tea yesterday  
afternoon, when she was assisted in  
receiving by Mrs. Green, Miss Davis,  
and Miss McKinstry, of San Francisco, who  
is now her guest.

Mrs. Schroeder and Mrs. Maury presided  
at the artistically appointed  
table, the decorations of which were in  
red.

**FEMINE TRAVELERS.**  
The Reason Why They Are So Successful.

The woman "traveller" has been  
abroad in the land for a number of years,  
but no well-meaning man would  
legitimate knight of the grip. He doesn't  
like some of his brothers, cry out that  
women are robbing him of employment,  
lowering salaries, and making havoc  
generally. His self-satisfaction is still as  
conscious as his scarf pin; and nothing  
is so much a disgrace to him as to be  
seen in the street with a woman.

Of course, there are sporadic cases of  
the woman drummer, but there is no danger  
of an epidemic. A good many women  
are now travelling, and they are doing  
it in a way that is a credit to the  
race. They are not the "travellers" of  
yore, who were a disgrace to the  
race. They are now the "travellers" of  
today, who are a credit to the race.

There are three periods in all life—the  
time of the bud, the time of the flower,  
and the time of the fruit. It is this that  
girlhood emerges into womanhood and womanhood  
into motherhood. Almost all of the ills  
from which women suffer have their origin  
in weakness and disease of the female  
organism, which bears the burdens of  
breeding and motherhood. These disorders  
usually begin with puberty, childbirth  
or with the "turn of life." Thousands of  
women suffer silently for years in this way,  
and almost painless. It transforms weak  
local treatment insisted upon by the majority  
of physicians. It is unnecessary.

A French and skillful specialist, Dr.  
P. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting  
physician to the Invalids' Hotel and  
Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., long  
known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription,  
is now in the city. It is a delicate  
and important organ that makes womanhood  
and motherhood possible. It makes them  
strong and healthy and vigorous. It allows  
inflammation, neuralgia, headache, and  
tones up the nerves. It banishes the  
indispositions of the period of impending  
maternity, and makes baby's advent easy  
and almost painless. It transforms weak,  
sickly, nervous invalids into happy, healthy  
wives and mothers. All good medicine  
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Our buyers are now in New York buying goods for the new  
departments we are going to add to King's Palace.

## We're in the Hands of the Builders,

but still doing business. We are rushing everything out  
as fast as possible. Cost is forgotten. Even new goods  
coming in must go right out again, lest the dust spoil them.

The bargains are phenomenal. This is the chance  
of the century.

Any \$4.00 and \$5.00 Jackets at \$1.38.

Take your choice of any Jacket in the house that sold for \$4  
and \$5 and pay \$1.38. A great lot of them, in the latest styles  
and effects. Kerseys, Beavers and Boucle Cloth Jackets—  
nicely lined. Choice.

Any \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9 and \$10 Jackets at \$2.98.

A great aggregation of All-silk-lined garments, in both  
plain and rough cloths, including the stylish Russian Blouses,  
Every fashionable color—Cordets, Rods, Blues, Greens, Blacks—  
—strap seams—perfect in cut and tailoring. Choice.

Any Jacket in the House for \$4.98.

A superb collection of the very prettiest and noblest con-  
cepts of fashion. Some lined with plain—others with fancy silk  
—strap seams—patch pockets—silk at high. The newest effects  
in Kersey, Broadcloth and Hough Cloth. Never was such value  
offered. Choice.

Seal Plush Wraps, Worth \$20.00 to \$50.00.

Jackets, Coats and Scaques, Vests and Dolmans. All  
made of the best quality of seal plush, with rich silk and quilt-  
ed linings. THIRTY ARIZ NOT THIS SEASON'S GOODS. Never  
with slight alterations they can be made to conform with the  
latest styles. Only a few left.

\$10.00 Silk Skirts, \$4.88.

Elegant quality Faile Silk, with large figures—very rich  
and pretty patterns—made and tailored in the latest styles.  
Peraline lined—velvet bound.

15 Black Jackets.

All silk lined—excellent quality Jer-  
sey—Broadcloth—very front  
French back. These Jacket  
sets would be cheap at \$8.00  
—now offered at \$4.98.

A Famous Table.

50 Knickerbocker Belts—12-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-8